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Date: May 29, 2007Name: Eunice K. ChangSignature: Clifford Chance US LLP**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of: John P. McIntyre, Jr., et al.

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**Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply to the Final Office Action dated December 1, 2006.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37 C.F.R. §1.27)

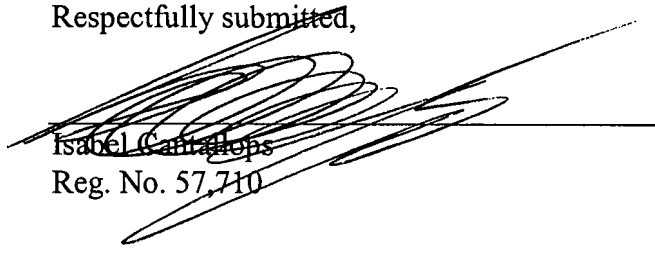
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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0521. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

Respectfully submitted,

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